

LIGHT DEALING IS FEATURE OF WEEK

Slack Buying Is Reported in
All Lines of Business.

REAL ESTATE MEN FEEL
BIG DECLINE IN SALES

Sporting Goods Sales Strong In-
dication of Approach of
Summer.

Trading in all lines has been unusually light during the week, especially in the retail business. The real estate trade fell off to almost nothing, and has been confined almost entirely to the sale of building lots. The call for these by home-seekers has been very heavy all the spring and has stimulated the building of homes. Builders all over the city have been thoroughly occupied with the erection of houses of moderate value, and the opening of new additions has caused many old residents to purchase building lots as an investment.

In spite of the quiet in the retail trade, however, the general business has been excellent, showing that there was no lack of confidence among business men. The opening of several new stores in different portions of the city, and the talk of new buildings for the summer shows that there is no question of the continuance of business activity, since many of the larger firms are preparing to spread out. The wholesalers report that there has been little falling off in the call for goods, so that apparently the almost steady downpour of rain for the past ten days has not succeeded in dampening the spirits of the people who do not buy for their own use.

Call for House Goods.

The week has been almost devoid of features, however. House furnishings have been active, as might be expected with the constant demand brought about by the erection of new homes. These lines of goods include furniture, curtains, carpets and the like, and, in fact, everything which goes in a house. The lateness of the season, however, interfered with the business considerably, since it will soon be time for people to go away on summer vacations, when furnished homes will not be required and the buildings now in course of construction can be permitted to remain unfinished until the fall.

In keeping with the approach of the "good old summer time," the call for vacation goods has increased. Every "old fisherman" who could muster up a rod has come to purchase new supplies with which to get his apparatus in working trim. Leaders, flies, hooks, fishing baskets, and all kinds of things of the repair variety have been called for in unusually large quantities. Another feature of the week has been the demand for tents. Saddles have also come in for their share and have constituted no small part of the general trade for the week.

Farmers Buying.

Another thing which shows that summer is approaching is the manner in which the farmers are preparing for the hay season. Their purchases include harnesses, light farm tools and the like, and, in fact, all of those things which can be used on the hay field. Builders' supplies of all kinds are also included among the things called for under this head. Paints and oils have not been so active as formerly, on account of the inability of the people to make repairs in the wet weather. Automobile supplies have also been slow.

As if in keeping with the almost constant downpour, there has been an exceptionally large demand for pumps. The sale of these has been a feature in the hardware stores, and all kinds of pipe fittings have sold in good quantities.

In financial circles, there has been a general strengthening. Many of the dealers report ample supplies of money to loan at 7 per cent. This is regarded as a good index of the excellent conditions in the city at the present time. It is believed among business men that the quiet in the retail trade is the result of purely local conditions, and that a few weeks will see a complete recovery.

Stock Quotations.

Following are the latest quotations for stocks and bonds on the exchange Saturday:

Amalgamated Sugar Co., pfd.	\$37.00
do common	157.00
Beneficial Life Insurance Co.	120.00
Con. Wagon and Mach. Co., pfd.	112.00
do common	100.00
Commercial National bank	100.00
Deseret National bank	287.00
Deseret Savings bank	510.00
First National bank	112.00
Home Fire Insurance Co.	132.50
Heber J. Grant & Co.	130.00
Lawson Sugar Co.	14.00
National Bank of the Republic	140.00
Ogden Savings bank	260.00
Rocky Mt. Bell Tel. Co.	148.00
State Bank of Utah	137.00
Sugar City Townsite Co.	125.00
Utah-Idaho Sugar Co., pfd.	8.00
do common	2.50
Utah National bank	112.00
Utah Savings and Trust Co.	110.00
Western Loan and Savings	108.00
Zions Savings Bank and Trust Co.	210.00
Z. C. M. I.	201.00

BONDS.

Salt Lake City Railroad	102.50
Sumpter Valley Railroad	102.50
Utah Co. Light and Power Co.	102.50
Utah Sugar Co.	102.50

FRIDAY NEXT.

Will be Congregational Day at Lagoon.

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BUSINESS MEN OF SALT LAKE WILL FIGHT PRESENT MERCHANTS LICENSE

Definite steps for some time active in opposition to the present merchant's license tax were taken Saturday, with the issuing by the Manufacturers' and Merchants' association of a call to attend a mass meeting at the Chamber of Commerce Thursday evening June 11, when it is thought that a move will be made to bring to the attention of the city council the need of repealing the tax.

Invitations have been sent by the association to practically every merchant in the city, and it is hoped that these concerns will all have representatives present. The meeting will be addressed by a number of speakers and the answers to letters which have been sent to merchants in many other cities of this state and neighboring states will be read to show the sentiment of the merchants in those places and the conditions which exist there.

The meeting will be presided over by G. W. McAllister, president of the association. Addresses will be made by Judge John M. Kane, on "The Legal Aspects of the License Tax," by Charles A. Quigley on "The Tax From the Viewpoint of the Business Man," and by F. B. Stevens on "The Place of the Business Man in the Community."

The matter has been under consideration by the association for a number of weeks and the business men of the city sounded as to their views on the license tax, so that it is felt that the meeting of Thursday will result in some definite action. It has been the opinion expressed by many of the merchants that the tax was an injury to the business of the city, and that some other means should be thought of to provide the revenue which is now gained from this tax. It is expected that the views of the merchants will be thoroughly aired at the meeting.

The answer to the official call which was sent out to the merchants, with the names of those who intended to be present at the meeting, follows:

Manufacturers and Merchants' Association City.
We heartily approve the calling of a mass meeting of the interests affected for the consideration of the present merchant's license, and will see that our firm is represented thereat in person.
Keith O'Brien, Salt Lake Hardware Co., George Mulholland, Richardson-Adams Company, Davis Shoe Company, Fred Furniture Co., Cook Tea and Coffee Co., Salt Lake Stamp Co., W. L. Nicol, A. H. Crabbe, The Paris Millinery Co., J. H. R. Franklin Co., Western Furniture Co., Harris Furniture Co., Sego Implement and Vehicle Co., Hallday Drug Co., P. W. Madison Furniture Co., Culmer Paint and Glass Co., F. C. Schumann, Charles H. F. Tuckett, Inter-

mountain Electric Co., Willes-Horne Drug Co., J. X. L. Furniture Co., A. Hudson, Mideley-Bell Co., Siegel Clothing Co., W. J. Huff Co., F. Adenbach & Bros., C. M. L. Elias Morris & Sons Co., Deseret News book store, People's Cash Store, People's Forgetting Co., H. Nagel, F. A. Wilcox Grocery Co., Service Baking Co., Coombs Drug Co., Denhalter Building Co., J. A. Eklund, W. H. Hines, W. A. Duval, Kelly & Co., Edward Shepley, Robert Sherwood, McCaughy-McCartney Hardware Co., Townsley Dependable Shoe Co., John Daynes Jewelry Co., W. M. McConahay, Axel L. Elstad, Qualls Store, Henschel B. Lyman, Hoggan Trunk Co., Allen-Chubbers Co., Taylor-Armstrong Lumber Co., B. H. Townsend Co., Rich Spice and Extract Co., Carter's League Cycle Store, Paul Drug Co., M. T. Wolf Grocery and Meat Co., Lyon & Richardson Co., McCarty Hat Co., Paulos & Bros. Co., Moon Book and Stationery Co., W. D. Mathis & Co., Carter Jewelry Co., H. F. Mangood, E. F. Silverwood, State Street Hardware, LaVale & Co., Nagel, Naylor Bros., Meredith & Guthrie, Columbia Phonograph Co., Charles Wantless & Co., Rosenbaum Bros., Salt Lake Trading Stamp Co., King-Brown Hardware Co., Boyd Park Jewelry Co., Oliver Merced Co., Frank Co., Leaver Drug Co., Carter Bros. Co., Deseret Soda & Ice Co., Belline Grocery Co., Elgin Dairy Co., Well Jewelry Co., Young Bros., A. Booth & Co., E. F. Holding Union Products Co., George R. Bailey, California Fish and Poultry Co., Utah Meat Market, Corner Fruit Co., Smith-Bailey Drug Co., Fowler & Smith, Lambert Paper Co., George A. Whitaker Cigar Co., Sun Drug Co., Street-Petersen News and Stationery Co., Great American Tea Importing Co., E. Melchey, Jr., Callaway, Hook & Trunk Co., Alva Grocery, Alta Meat Market, Anderson Mercantile Co., Anderson-Taylor Co., Anderson Mercantile Co., Anderson-Taylor Produce Co., Anderson-Taylor Co., Nathan, J. A. Eastman, A. Bernstein, Cigars, William Stevenson, W. Gassford, J. S. Jensen & Sons, C. R. Savage, Astor Drug Co., Reddy Bros. Iron Works Co., Gray Bros. Co., Hamilton's, H. Dinwoodie Furniture Co., Utah Mining Machine and Supply Co., Sparks Candy Co., The Morsholin Shoe Co., Salt Lake Photo Supply Co., Rivers, J. P., Gardner, Rowe-Walby Co., "The Charleston Shop," Vincent Shoe Co., Hirschman Shoe Co., Poulton, Haden, Owen Co., Walk-Over Shoe Co., Handing's Boot Shop, Beasley Music Co., J. M. Marrott, Schneider & Co., William Wood, Jr., Greenwood Furniture Co., Ferguson-Miller Music Co., J. Burrows & Co., Salt Lake Knitting Works, Hewlett Bros. Co., J. C. Gies, J. A. Eastman, her Co., Nebraska Furniture Co., The Mine and Smelter Supply Co., Salt Lake Electric Supply Co., The Genes Floral Co., Salt Lake Five and Ten-Cent Store, Christensen Stationery Co., J. G. Gallegos, O. D. Banks & Co., Clayton-Duncan Music Co., Western Arms and Sporting Goods Co., R. K. Thomas, Held Engraving and Foundry Co., Hallday Drug Co., Co-op Furniture Co., Daniel S. Wallace, drugs, Milam & Lees, Bennett Glass and Paint Co.

Life Insurance News and Notes

Address all communications for life insurance news to Publicity Bureau, P. O. box 124.

E. R. Perkins, second vice-president of the New York Life Insurance company, will visit Salt Lake City, June 9, a meeting will be held here on that day at the Commercial club, at which the company's representatives from Idaho, Montana, California, Washington and Oregon will meet with the resident agents to receive him.
As a fitting testimonial to Mr. Perkins, the Utah branch field men have written over a quarter of a million insurance since the announcement of his coming on the first of May.
The views of L. H. Stohr, vice-president of the Utah Life Underwriters' association, as published in last Saturday's Tribune, on the question of life insurance premiums, opened the eyes of the life insurance public to the important fact that the policy-holder pays the tax. The policy-holding Legislature may view the proposed increase with some interest and feeling when this fact is driven home.
One of the largest life insurance premiums ever collected was paid recently

by A. Hamburger & Sons, owners of a department store in Los Angeles. The amount was \$76,722.70, and insured the members of the house in an \$800,000 ten-year endowment contract in one of the prominent life companies.

They undertake to pay the same amount, \$76,722.70, each year for ten years, when the policies will mature as endowments and the \$800,000 will be paid to them in cash.

The premium paid will cease and the insured will be paid earlier if death should occur prior to the expiration of the ten years.
This insurance was taken to protect the interest the firm has in the lives of its members, and as a sinking fund in event of their survival.
The transaction is significant in showing the confidence in which the Metropolitan is held by men of large affairs, and as insuring the forms of insurance the Metropolitan has issued for the past fifteen years—contracts which "tell their whole story upon their face, leave nothing to the imagination, borrow nothing from hope, require definite conditions and make definite promises in dollars and cents."

RIDING CLUB TO APPEAR IN THE TRAVELERS' PARADE

At a meeting of the Salt Lake Riding club at the Commercial club Friday afternoon, Captain Armstrong was given full power to appoint his assistants and to make all necessary arrangements for the club and friends to take part in the parade of the United Commercial Travelers, June 13.

During the coming week he will call on individuals of the club and also on all those who are not members of the club who wish to participate. The captain has a reputation of being a first-class drill master, and is well qualified for the position in which he is placed.

DEBATE AT MURRAY WILL BEGIN MONDAY

On Monday evening in the Second ward meeting house at Murray Elder J. E. Curtis, for the Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints, and a speaker yet to be selected by the Utah branch, will begin a debate which will last till Wednesday evening, inclusive, the question being: "Whether Joseph Smith or Brigham Young is the proper successor of Joseph Smith, the prophet." Elder Curtis will have the affirmative and the representative of the Utah church the negative.

COLBATH ESTATE LEFT TO THE FIVE CHILDREN

The will of Lemuel H. Colbath was filed in the Third District court Saturday, accompanied by the petition of W. M. Bradley and Harry Colbath, asking the admission of the instrument to probate. Mr. Colbath's estate valued at \$4,655.43, segregated as follows: Money in bank, \$1405.43; mining stock, \$1000; mining claims and lots in Mt. Olivet cemetery, \$2250.
The estate is left to the five children of Mr. Colbath, in equal parts, and W. M. Bradley and Harry Colbath are named as executors, without bonds.

PRINCE HELIE AND ANNA GOULD TO MARRY SOON

PARIS, June 6.—The attorneys for Mme. Anna Gould stated today that the marriage of their client to Prince Helie De Sagan would occur within a month. The presence of George Gould, Mme. Gould's brother, at the marriage is problematical, as business interests command his presence in the United States.

TRYING TO LOCATE GIRL STOLEN TEN YEARS AGO

Ill and heart-broken over the long separation, Mrs. H. L. Plant, 1920 Monroe avenue, Kansas City, has appealed to the police here to take up the search for her missing daughter, who was stolen from her home by Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Martin ten years ago. Then the daughter was seven, now she is seventeen. All trace of her was lost until recently, when she was in her last year, when it was learned that she is married to a man named Williams and is living in Salt Lake City.

Mrs. Plant asks the police, in a letter to Detective Shannon, received Saturday morning, to attempt to locate her daughter and have her communicate with her mother. With the Martins the girl passed by the name of Susie Scott.

Tribune Want Ads.

Read the paper.

Ma reads the "Woman's Column" and about the "Woman's Clubs."
An' sister reads the "Beauty Hints" and of the social dubs.
I read the "funny paper" an' the latest in baseball.
An' brother reads the sports' page—the races, fights an' all.
But pa ain't all of 'em, y' bet, an' puts in his best ticks.
A-readin' what the paper has to say on politics!

Ma reads the advertisements, an' she goes out "bargain days."
An' comes home fixed out, but jest the same, she sez it pays.
An' sis looks in the paper for the headin' "Theaters".
They's other things she reads, but that's a favorite o' hers.
Sometimes I read the "fight by rounds" when there has been a mix.
But pa don't read a blessed thing at all. Not politics!

An' uncle reads about the crops an' what the prospects is.
For pa ain't no farmer, fer he's in the farmin' biz.
An' auntie sez the "Home and Health" is the most interestin' thing.
'Cuz there she gets the new recipes for makin' cakes an' pie.
An' Cousin Henry reads the "Poultry News"—he's ardent—'s he allus gets it right.
But pa don't care a darn fer anything but politics!

An' gran'pa reads the story that's "concluded in our next."
An' gran'ma reads the sermons, an' remembers every text.
She hunts the "daddy puzzle" up an' sits A-figurin' the answer, an' she allus gets it right.
We have to give the paper up to pa from 6 to 6.
'Cuz he comes home to supper then an' jest reads politics!—New York Sun.

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Pretty Presents For June Brides

Logically "The Store Beautiful" is the appropriate outfitting place for June Brides of artistic temperaments and economical inclinations, by reason of the exclusiveness of the stock and the moderate manner of marking every article. Aside from any other consideration the goods we have are of the order that go to make ideal homes; the kind most sought by admirers of the beautiful and the practical combined; the kind that represent the greatest worth of actual Furniture Quality. Surely there is satisfaction in outfitting a Home with such a character of furnishings.

But that is not all. We have selected a splendid collection of exquisite pieces of Furniture to be presented to the June Brides who come here for their Household outfits, for the purpose of making the many Young Matrons our permanent Customers, for we know that the satisfaction which will naturally follow their present purchases will win for us their future patronage.

MANY SPECIAL DISCOUNTS ON FURNITURE

Will be in effect this week as extra discounts to those who are furnishing new homes or adding new sets or odd pieces to homes already furnished. It will be to your advantage to come in and look over the stock and get our prices before deciding what or where you will buy.

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Monday, June 15, has been proclaimed FLAG DAY, so everybody will want a Star-spangled Banner with which to adorn the home or place of business.

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LECTURE HALL FOR GREEK COMMUNITY

Plans have been drawn and arrangements are being made for the erection of a lecture hall by the members of the Greek community of the city. It is expected that exercises for the laying of the corner stone of the building will be held June 26. The building will contain a library and reading rooms, and it is proposed to make it a center for the promulgation of American ideas by the founders of the institution, and to take up a systematic study of American institutions, to conduct reading classes and to make the place a social center for the community.

The lecture hall will be located near the present Greek church on West Fourth Street. Nicholas P. Stihos, one of the leading Greeks of the community, is interested in the movement and anxious to bring about the erection of a building which shall bring his countrymen together, and especially to prevent them from frequenting saloons and other questionable places. It is hoped that the new building will do much to educate the Greek populace and inculcate in them the higher ideals of American citizenship.

See Airship Fly, Saltair, today.

WIDOWER AND FAMILY SHARE THE OSTLER ESTATE

The will of Henrietta R. Ostler was filed in the Third District court Saturday, and disposes of an estate valued at \$4,500. Accompanying the will is the petition of Oliver R. Ostler, asking that it be admitted to probate. The estate is as follows: House and lot at 716 North Second West street; house and lot at 720 North Second West street; household furniture and jewelry. The real estate is valued at \$4000 and the other property at \$500.

In the will the property at 716 North Second West street is left to three children, share and share alike. The property at 720 North Second West is left to the widower for life, and at his death goes to the three children and to Millie Gillespie, nee Ostler, Eugene Ostler and Elmo Ostler, share and share alike. The wearing apparel, jewelry and silverware is given to May Ostler.

Married at Corinne.

Friends here have learned of the marriage last Thursday evening at Corinne of Leslie B. Breeze, formerly of this city, and Miss Mary Sunshine Coil of that town. Rev. Peter A. Simpkin performed the ceremony. The attendance was large and there were many valuable presents. Mr. Breeze is connected with

the Nevada Utah mine at Pioche. His bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Coil of Corinne, and formerly was a student at the Collegiate institute here.

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